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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

**Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed 11/04/2004,

(Exhibit 1), Applicants submit Claims provided with proper status identifier, and re-

submit the entire "Amendments to the Claims" section of Applicants' prior amendment.

Claims have been corrected pursuant to Section 37 C.F.R. 1.121. Applicants

have elected the invention claimed in Claims 1-9; and Applicants cancel Claims 10-18.

Pursuant to C.F.R. 1.121, the amended Claims 1, 2, and 7, are submitted as a marked up

version showing all the changes, with the status (currently amended). The cancelled

Claims 10-18 are noted as (canceled) and are not shown in strike-through. Claims 3 – 6,

8 and 9 are shown as (original). Since two versions of the amended Claims are no longer

required, a separate Exhibit with a clean version of the Claims is not submitted.

Therefore, please amend the above-identified Claims as follows: